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## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In re application of: Paul Giampavolo  
Application No. 10/811,168  
Entitled: SAFETY BUCKLE WITH MULTIPLE ORIENTATION CLASP

## VIA FACSIMILE

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated November 22, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 3, 8-10, 13, 15-19 and 21-23.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of \$250.00 to Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of the Notice of Appeal.

The following checked items are appropriate:

A timely response to the final rejection:

☒ has been filed ☐ is hereby filed

An extension of time to respond to the final rejection:

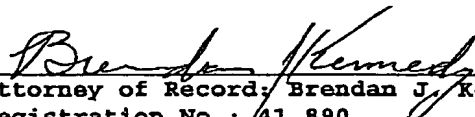
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  2. ☐ is hereby requested for \_\_\_ month(s) the Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.
  3. ☐ is included on the enclosed amendment transmittal form along authorization to charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the extension fee.
- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under \$1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

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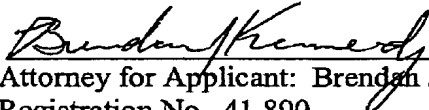
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